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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	<b>Attn: Mail Stop Amendment</b>
Masahito HIGASHIDA	:	Patent Art Unit: 3745
Serial No. 10/517,143	:	Examiner: Nathan Wiehe
Filed: December 7, 2004	:	
For: CENTRIFUGAL FAN	:	

## THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:  
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

<u>CLAIMS</u>			<u>SMALL ENTITY</u>		<u>OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY</u>	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDT. FEE	RATE	ADDT. FEE
TOTAL 23	- 20	= 3	x 25 = \$		x 50 = \$150.00	
INDEP 2	- 3	= 0	x 100 = \$		x 200 = \$	
[ ] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM						
			+ 180 = \$		+ 360 = \$	
			TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$150.00	

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$150.00 to cover additional dependent claims.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the May 30, 2006 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 3-25 are pending, with claims 3 and 4 being the only independent claims.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 10 of this paper and include one (1) attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Exhibit A** begins on page 15 of this paper.